

SUBCOMMITTEE ON NATIONAL PARKS, FORESTS, AND PUBLIC LANDS

VIA CISCO WEBEX

Thursday, May 27, 2021

1:00 p.m. (EDT)

Agenda

Legislative Hearing on the following bills:

- [H.R. 1664](#) (**Rep. Marc Veasey**), To authorize the National Medal of Honor Museum Foundation to establish a commemorative work in the District of Columbia and its environs, and for other purposes.
- [H.R. 1931](#) (**Rep. Doris Matsui**), To provide competitive grants for the promotion of Japanese American confinement education as a means to understand the importance of democratic principles, use and abuse of power, and to raise awareness about the importance of cultural tolerance toward Japanese Americans, and for other purposes. *Japanese American Confinement Education Act*.
- [H.R. 2278](#) (**Rep. Gerald Connolly**), To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to designate the September 11th National Memorial Trail, and for other purposes.
- [H.R. 2444](#) (**Resident Commissioner Jenniffer González-Colón**), To establish Fort San Gerónimo del Boquerón in Puerto Rico as an affiliated area of the National Park System, and for other purposes. *Fort San Gerónimo Preservation Act*.

Witness List

Panel I

Rep. Jenniffer González-Colón
Puerto Rico, At Large

Rep. Doris Matsui
California, 6th District

Rep. Gerald Connolly
Virginia, 11th District

Panel II

Ms. Joy Beasley (*All Bills*)
Associate Director
Cultural Resources, Partnerships, and Science
National Park Service

Panel III

LTC William Swenson (*H.R. 1664*)
Director
National Medal of Honor Museum Foundation

Mr. S. Floyd Mori (*H.R. 1931*)
Former National Executive Director
Japanese American Citizens League

Mr. David G. Brickley (*H.R. 2278*)
Founder and President Emeritus
September 11th National Memorial Trail
Alliance

Mr. Juan Vera-Vega (*H.R. 2444*)
State Underwater Archeologist
Council of Underwater Archeology
Institute of Puerto Rican Culture